108TH CONGRESS 1ST SESSION

H. R. 3548

To amend title 5, United States Code, to exclude civilian personnel at naval shipyards from the national security personnel system.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

NOVEMBER 20, 2003

Mr. Dicks (for himself and Mr. Inslee) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Reform

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. EXCLUSION OF CIVILIAN PERSONNEL AT
- 4 NAVAL SHIPYARDS FROM THE NATIONAL SE-
- 5 CURITY PERSONNEL SYSTEM.
- 6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 9902(c) of title 5, United
- 7 States Code, as added by section 1101 of the National
- 8 Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2004, is
- 9 amended by adding at the end of paragraph (2) the fol-
- 10 lowing new subparagraph:

| 1 | "(K) shipyards owned by the United States |
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| 2 | and under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of |
| 3 | the Navy.". |
| 4 | (b) Conforming Amendments.—Such section |
| 5 | 9902(c) is further amended— |
| 6 | (1) in the subsection heading, by striking "De- |
| 7 | fense Laboratories.—" and inserting "Defense Lab- |
| 8 | oratories and Naval Shipyards.—"; |
| 9 | (2) in paragraph (1)— |
| 10 | (A) by inserting "or naval shipyards" after |
| 11 | "laboratory"; and |
| 12 | (B) by inserting after "shall apply" the |
| 13 | following: "(A) to naval shipyards on or after |
| 14 | October 1, 2008; and (B) to laboratories"; and |
| 15 | (3) in paragraph (2)— |
| 16 | (A) by inserting "and naval shipyards" |
| 17 | after "laboratories"; |
| 18 | (B) by striking "and" at the end of sub- |
| 19 | paragraph (I); and |
| 20 | (C) by striking the period at the end of |
| 21 | subparagraph (J) and inserting "; and". |

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